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FOR PROVIDING MULTI-PLAYER
INTERACTIVE GAME FUNCTIONALITY
FOR USE WITH INTERACTIVE GAMES**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated March 11, 2004.
Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.